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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS: Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the election requirement dated February 20, 2008, Applicant hereby elects the inventions of Group I, namely claims 1-9 and 11-16. Being submitted concurrently is a one-month extension of time, extending the due date to April 20, 2008.

Further, Applicant elects the Species I, namely Figures 2-4. It is Applicant's position that all of the elected claims are readable on Figures 2-4. Further, Applicant respectfully submits that all of the claims elected, except for claims 3 and 8, are generic. Claims 3 and 8 read only on the elected species shown in Figures 2-4. However, the remaining claims are generic and read on both species shown in Figures 2-4 as well as the species shown in Figures 5-8.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding the foregoing, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call the undersigned at 612-331-7415.

Respectfully submitted,

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